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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I only use my Trac-Phone when I need it in an emergency. And that is only when I am traveling. There is no reception at my home location, so the phone is used only when I am traveling or in an emergency. Any extra cost imposed on me would not be fair as I already pay many fees on my home phone which when I ask Verizon and ATT what the fee is for they do not have an answer and tell me it is a tax.

This is truly taxation without representation and double charge. If you would like to see my montly local phone fees, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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